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To the Honorable Commissioner For Patents:

I. INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Applicants, through the undersigned attorney, hereby respectfully respond to the Final Office Action mailed April 30, 2008 by the filing of the present Request for Continued Examination. Submitted herewith is a Petition for a Three Month Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136 and the Required Petition Fee under 37 CFR 1.17(a)(3). The present RCE Submission constitutes a copy of the amendments and remarks filed by Applicants on July 30, 2008. Applicants have not received an Advisory Action in the application and therefore do not know the status of the previously filed amendment. Private Pair confirms that no action has been taken by the PTO subsequent to Applicant's July 30, 2008 amendment.

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